

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

George MAURO

Serial no.

10/534,949

Filed For

with an effective filing date of November 13, 2003 FRUIT CORING DEVICE FOR PRODUCING A

CLOSED BORE

Group Art Unit

Examiner

Docket

NATAPE P16BUSP2

The Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent & Trademark Office P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

FOURTH REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Dear Sir:

Attached is a copy of the filing receipt issued in the above-identified application. The filling receipt is incorrect in that it does not include U.S. Patent Application No. 10/668,727 in the Domestic Priority data. A copy of the relevant pages of the originally filed application, which contains the correct information, is attached hereto.

The Applicant respectfully requests that a corrected filing receipt be issued which contains complete and accurate information concerning the filing particulars of this case. If the Patent and Trademark Office has any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned.

In the event that there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge the same or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account (Account No. 04-0213).

Respectfully submitted,

Michael J. Bujold Reg. No.

Customer No. 020210

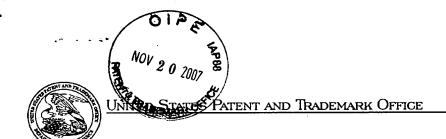
Davis Bujold & Daniels, P.L.L.C.

112 Pleasant Street

Concord, NH 03301-2931

Telephone 603-226-7490 Facsimile 603-226-7499

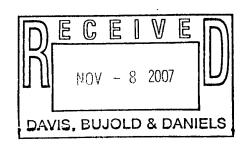
E-mail: patent@davisandbujold.com



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION FILING or GRP ART IND CLAIMS FIL FEE REC'D ATTY.DOCKET.NO TOT CLAIMS 371(c) DATE UNIT NUMBER 3731 300 NATAPE P16BUSP2 20 10/534,949 05/16/2005

20210 DAVIS & BUJOLD, P.L.L.C. 112 PLEASANT STREET CONCORD, NH 03301



CONFIRMATION NO. 1714
CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Date Mailed: 11/02/2007

Receipt is acknowledged of this non-provisional patent application. The application will be taken up for examination in due course. Applicant will be notified as to the results of the examination. Any correspondence concerning the application must include the following identification information: the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections

Applicant(s)

George Mauro, Salem, NH;

Power of Attorney: The patent practitioners associated with Customer Number 020210

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/US03/36385 11/13/2003

which is a CIP of 10/294,246 11/14/2002 ABN

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 01/29/2007

The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US 10/534,949**

Projected Publication Date: Not Applicable

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

** SMALL ENTITY **

05/18/2005 &3:52 FAX 603 624 - 229

DAVIS & BUJOLD, PL

Ø 002

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified secification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent Office all information which is known to be material to patentability of this application as defined in § 1.56 of Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

PRIORITY CLAIM

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me/us on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

> EARLIEST FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS (6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NO.	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 USC 119
United States	10/294,246	November 14, 2002	■YES □NO
United States	10/668,727	September 23, 2003	MYES ONO
Omice States			□YES □NO
			□YES □NO
			CYES DNO

(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION

ALL FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY FILED MORE THAN 12 MONTHS

I hereby claim the benefit, under 35 U.S.C. 119(e), of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number(s)		Additional provisional application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.
	<u> </u>	nereto.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of sole inventor: / George MAURO					
Inventor's signature: 12008 Muni-	Date: 5-/6-05				
Post Office Address: 16 Northwestern Drive, Salem, NH 03079					
Residence: Same as above	Country of Citizenship: USA				
Wind hom, NH					

Date: November 14, 2007

(aag)

Approved for use through 9/30/00. OMB 0651-0031 Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. **Application Number** 10/534,949 with an effective filing date of November 13, Filing Date ISMITTAL 2003 First Named Inventor George MAURO FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) Group Art Unit Fax: (571) 273-8300 **Examiner Name** Total No. of Pages in this Submission:5 Attorney Docket Number NATAPE P16BUSP2 ENCLOSURES (check all that apply) □ After Allowance Communication □ Fee Transmittal Form ☐ Assignment papers to Group (for an Application) ☐ Fee attached - Check \$ ☐ Appeal Communication to Board □ Drawing(s) of Appeals and Interferences □ Amendment/Response □ Licensing-related Papers □ Appeal Communication to Group □ After Final (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Petition Routing Slip (PTO/SB/69) □ Affidavits/declaration(s) and Accompanying Petition (DELETED - no longer useful) □ Proprietary Information □ Extension of Time Request ☐ Status Letter ☐ To Convert a Provisional Petition (in Duplicate) Additional Enclosure(s) □ Power of Attorney, Revocation □ Express Abandonment Request (please identify below): Change of Correspondence Address □ Information Disclosure Stmt 1pg. Request Corrected Filing Receipt 1pg. Filing Receipt □ Terminal Disclaimer 2pg. Declaration ☐ Certified Copy of Priority □ Small Entity Statement Postcard Document(s) □ Request for Refund □ Response to Missing Part/s Incomplete Application ☐ Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 REMARKS SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Req. No. 32,018 Firm or Individual Name Michael J. Bujold CUSTOMER NO. 020210 DAVIS BUJOLD & DANIELS, P.L.L.C. Signature November 14, 2007 Date **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on November 14,

Type or printed name

Signature

Michael J. Bujold